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SUB: RUMORED VISIT BY SECRETARY TO LAGOS

1. DURING THE COURSE OF A DISCUSSION WITH IVORIAN FORIEGN MINISTER ARSENE ASSOUAN USHER ON OCTOBER 24, USHER ASKED ME WHETHER IT WAS TRUE THAT SECRETARY KIFSINGER IS GOING TO VISIT LAGOS IN THE NEAR FUTURE. IF SO, WHY IS HE NOT VISITING IVORY COAST?

2. I REPLIED THAT I HAD HEARD NO SUCH RUMOR, ALTHOUGH THE SECRETARY HAD SAID LAST YEAR AND EARLIER THIS YEAR THAT HE WOULD MAKE A TRIP TO AFRICA WHEN THE LIFTING OF PRESSURES ELSEWHERE PERMITTED.

3. CAN DEPARTMENT SHED ANY LIGHT ON THIS RUMOR?
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